

Neighboring Groups Attend C.G.I.T. Rally at Didsbury

A C.G.I.T. rally, with the theme, "Our Church," was held in Knox United Church, Didsbury, on November 26 and 27, with groups from Bowden, Olds, Sundre, Carstairs and Didsbury attending.

After a delicious pot luck lunch the girls joined in a few lively games, led by Twila McCoy. Then followed a sing-song under the direction of Anita Andrews.

Miss Lillian Tait, secretary of the Girls' Work Board of Alberta, led the group in a council ring, followed by a worship service given by June Erb.

The girls then went into handicraft groups, which proved very interesting.

The banquet commenced at 6:30 p.m., with the birthday cake ceremony conducted by Mrs. Atkinson.

Following the tasteful dinner served by the W.M.S., June Klinek proposed the toast to the King. Mr. Tom Morris gave a welcome address, and then Beverly Wiggins proposed a toast to the church, to which Rev. Bainbridge responded.

Rev. Bainbridge then took over and led the songs for the evening.

The guest speaker, Miss Tait, gave an impressive talk, followed by a short devotional by Kay Edwards, and a news reel by Misses Edwards and Dicks.

On Sunday morning the girls in uniform, attended the church service in a body.

Sunday afternoon discussion groups were directed by Miss Lillian Tait, Mrs. Moss, Miss Laura Edwards, Miss Margaret Davis and Miss Ann Proden. Talks on missionary projects were given by Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Bainbridge and Mrs. E. Ford. Lunch followed and the singing of "Taps" brought to a close a very successful rally.

Carnival Prizes Have All Been Claimed

The five big prizes offered at Didsbury's fall shopping carnival have now all been claimed and the following are the winners:

1st—Chair and Ottoman valued at \$85.00, Mrs. Ed Weber.

2nd—Bea-Hill Dinner Set valued at \$50.00, Mrs. Benson.

3rd—Fodak Tourist Camera valued at \$39.50, Mrs. Eric Gooding.

4th—Hudson Bay Point Blankets valued at \$30.00, Mrs. Jack Edwards.

5th—Electric Kettle valued at \$11.95, Mrs. Sid Hall.

SUCH WAS LIFE

Pastor Nathsmith had homesteaded and was performing double duty—homesteader and pastor.

Fencing a homestead or even a part of it meant a lot of work when one had to do it without wire and splices. The absence of money was responsible for many crude substitutes by way of clothing, rigging, fences, buildings and furniture. In this particular instance fencing was the problem. Spruce, jack pine and poplar posts rot in a few years when put in the ground. The neglect or a fence set on the side was quite popular in the early days as it could be built cheaply, except for the amount of work. Two and a half inch holes were bored in one of the slanting posts and the smaller one fitted into the hole. The rails were tied to the posts and in this way no money was needed. The ties were made with willow twigs and for ordinary use served the purpose.

Pastor Nathsmith had prepared a lot of posts and then with the help of a young man set up a stretch of fence that made him feel quite proud of his achievement. By dinner time they had set up about a quarter of a mile of fence and everything was fine, so they informed Mrs. Nathsmith of their accomplishment.

During the dinner hour a wind arose, and as the fence had not been braced at all it fell flat, and when the men beheld the sight a different feeling took possession of them. It was necessary to take the fence apart in sections to raise it again. Needless to say the fence was well braced. A lesson learned the hard way.

Homesteading with no money is a hard way to pay for a home. With hard work at ordinary wages the price of the home is very high, but even that was the only way many homes had to be bought over a long period of years.

PIONEER CITIZEN

24 Turkeys Won at Local Gun Club Shoot

The turkey shoot sponsored by the Didsbury Gun Club last Wednesday afternoon drew a fair crowd and clay pigeon shooting for turkeys was almost steady from about 2:00 o'clock till dark. In all 24 turkeys were won by various sharpshooters, and everyone seemed to have an enjoyable afternoon. A number of crack shots were down from Olds to enjoy the sport, but otherwise the crowd was nearly all local gun artists.

Ken McCoy and Irwin Klein had charge of the shoot and No. 1 live turkeys, fattened for market, were given to the winners.

Despite heavy expenses the Gun Club cleared about \$68 on their venture, and already a number of sportsmen are clamoring for action at another turkey shoot.

Jutland Beef Calf Club Members Judge Cows

The regular meeting of the Jutland Beef Calf Club was held on Saturday, December 3, at the Bruce Shells farm with a good attendance of members and visitors.

Bad Tighe was chairman of the meeting and Gordon Stiles gave a demonstration on how to train a calf to lead.

The members judged a group of four hereford cows, and a group of heifers, giving their written reasons on score cards. Mr. McPhail then made the proper placings.

The members donated \$5 to the Michael Boyce Polio Fund, as Michael was a calf club member.

Providing roads are good the next meeting will be held in conjunction with the Carstairs Club at the Westfall farm, on Wednesday, December 28. Otherwise the meeting will be held at the W.E. Stiles' farm. At this meeting Lois Shells and Ken Devolin will take the topics.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Bruce Shells served a delicious lunch.

Rugby W.I. Completes A Successful Year

With an attendance of 18 members, the Rugby Women's Institute meeting was held at the home of Mrs. O. Krebs and a short business session was conducted. The financial report for the year was given and other items of business cleared up so that everything is in order to begin the new year.

It was arranged to continue the card parties and, weather permitting, the next card party will be held at the home of Mrs. Wahl on Monday, December 5.

During the social hour a musical contest on Christmas Carols was held, the winner being Mrs. L. Krebs.

After four years of faithful service Mrs. Hogg retired from the presidency, and Mrs. E. McNaughton was elected president for the coming year. Mrs. A. Blain was elected vice-president, and the other officers will remain the same as last year.

Christmas gifts were exchanged among the members and there was plenty of fun and laughter before the afternoon ended with a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. No one seemed in a hurry to go home and it was quite late when the last cars pulled out.

So ended one year of W.I. work. What will 1950 bring?

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Cowitz and it is hoped every member will attend.

Didsbury to Have a New Variety Store

The new premises of the 5c to \$5.00 store, to be known as The Didsbury Variety Store, situated between the Didsbury Jewellery and Dickau Electric, is rapidly nearing completion. According to Mr. S. Fox, the store may be open for business the week before Christmas providing no unforeseen delays in finishing the interior occur.

BANCROFT BUTTERCUPS MEET AT HOME OF VIOLA SCHMICK

The Bancroft Buttercups held a regular meeting at the home of Miss Viola Schmick on November 26, with fifteen members present.

The roll call was answered by the Juniors making some safety suggestions for safety at home, and the Seniors making lunch box suggestions.

The objective for both seniors and Juniors is to make club seal caps.

Mrs. Marsh, the club supervisor, showed the members how to make chocolates, and the meeting closed with the serving of a delicious lunch.

Good Attendance at Didsbury Seed Fair

The Seed Grain Fair held under the direction of the Agricultural Services Board on November 29, drew a large attendance.

At the fair, Didsbury was quite well attended, with about 75 farmers from the greater part of the municipality taking in the event.

Mr. F. J. Niddie, the chairman of the Service Board, was in charge of the meeting, and Mr. Hugh McPhail, district agriculturist, showed a sound film on "The Triumph of 2, 4-D." In this picture was shown a graphic description of the effect of this chemical on various weeds without injuring cereal crops. This "wonder chemical" shows promise in revolutionizing the farming industry.

Mr. A. M. Wilson, Alberta Field Crops Commissioner, gave an interesting resume of what has been accomplished in the improvement of seed grains in the last fifteen years. He feels that farmers pay too little attention to the advisability of using good seed grain, free from weeds. He pointed out that during the last fifteen years the weed situation in many areas of Alberta has become worse instead.

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Westcott W.I. Honors Three of Members

The Westcott W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Alex Robertson on Thursday, December 1st, with 22 members present. Seventeen sat down to a pot luck dinner at 12 noon, with the lengthy meeting commencing at one o'clock.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Joy to the World." Roll call was answered by giving suggestions for the 1950 program.

The secretary gave a report on the bazaar, and it was decided to send \$5 to the Michael Boyce memorial polo fund.

Two of the members, Mrs. Klinek's, and Mrs. Jenny Hughes, were made honorary members at this meeting.

A souvenir spoon was presented to Mrs. W. Owens, as she has now been a member for ten years.

Five dollar donations were made to the Wood's Home, Salvation Army and the Institute for the Blind. A donation was also made towards buying of a stretcher for the Didsbury hospital.

Mr. J. Robertson, as vice-president, took the chair to conduct the election of officers for the coming two years, which resulted with the following officers being elected:

President, Mrs. Cliff Ekstrand; 1st Vice President, Mrs. J. Robertson; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. B. MacFarlane; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ed Klinek; Pianist, Mrs. Gordon Ford; Press Reporter, Mrs. Raymond Shantz; Auditors, Mrs. B. Dubois and Mrs. E. Walker; Directors, Mrs. O. Faas, Mrs. J. Robertson and Mrs. C. Shields.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring officers.

An hour was spent in making out a very interesting program for 1950, after which a few carols were sung.

Mrs. Carl Ekstrand went over the handiwork list and asked for volunteers for the various articles.

Each member is to receive the Home & Country magazine for the coming year.

The opening of the Christmas Pie was next on the program, but before pulling out a plum pie poem by the W.I. poetess Mrs. J. Hughes was read by Mrs. W. Owens.

After a very busy and full afternoon the meeting closed in the usual manner and it was announced that the next meeting would be held at the home of Mrs. O. Faas on Thursday, January 5, 1950, at the usual time of 2 p.m.

No Change to be Made In Boundaries of the Didsbury Constituency

There will be no recommended change in the boundaries of the Olds and Didsbury constituencies. Lucien Maynard, Alberta Attorney-General and chairman of the redistribution committee of the Alberta legislature, announced last week.

The question was discussed at a meeting held in Didsbury on November 23rd when 127 interested electors from all over the Didsbury Electoral District were present.

A dispute arose between the residents of the Olds and Didsbury constituencies when some wanted the boundary lines to run north and south rather than east and west. They argued their representation was by members living in areas close to the western boundary lines.

The Social Credit members for the constituencies are: N. E. Cook of Bergen, representing Olds, and H. G. Hammett of Carstairs, representing Didsbury.

News Notes From The West Country

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sissons of Clive visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoesegood.

Mrs. K. Korschuh was an over-night visitor in Carstairs last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thompson and Mrs. O. Krebs spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Hogg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walton returned to their home in Edmonton last Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. V. Schneidmiller motored there.

Some of the Elton Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. M. Campbell Jr. on Wednesday evening and finished the quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Hogg were away guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W.J. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Russell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Crosby.

The Elton rink has been put in shape and a new dressing room built. Flooding started Saturday, but there has been skating for some time on the back water with quite smooth ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bagshaw accompanied Mr. and Mrs. E. Fisher to Midnapore on Sunday and they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rube Lewis.

Mrs. O. Krebs and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. McCulloch east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bagshaw, Marion and Bob, and Delbert and Dorella Byrt, were Calgary visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogg were Calgary visitors Monday.

Little Gale Krebs, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Krebs, was a patient in the Didsbury hospital over the week end.

Mr. J. Robertson was a Calgary visitor for a few days last week.

WHIST DRIVE AT WAHL HOME

At the whist drive held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Wahl on Monday five tables were in play and honors were won by Mrs. Alfred Cowitz and Jean Viney, with consultations going to Mrs. Percy Hoesegood and Mrs. Jack Bagshaw. Jean Krebs won the box of chocolates in the draw.

Zella District Residents Honored by Neighbors

On Tuesday evening the close neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson gathered at their home to surprise them on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. They were presented with a silver plated bread plate.

Mr. A. Reist was also most pleasantly surprised Thursday evening when close friends gathered in Bergen, Westward Ho! Eagle Hill, Westcott, Didsbury and Carstairs called to express their best wishes on his 50th birthday. Mr. C. Selman of Eagle Hill presented him with a purse, and the evening was spent in playing quiz games, after which lunch was served.

A Reist and party spent a week hunting near the Saw Tooth, but didn't secure any game. They reported 20 hunters all camping within a half mile and only one moose being bagged.

CLINT AND ART REIBER NOW FULL FLEDGED PARTNERS

This week an announcement has been made that the insurance and real estate business conducted by C.E. Reiber in Didsbury for the past thirty years will, after January 1, 1950, be known as Reiber Brothers, with Art Reiber taking an active partnership in the business.

Mr. Art Reiber, the new partner, is a graduate of the University of Alberta, and a former principal of the Didsbury High School. For the past three years he has been associated with his brother, Clint, in the insurance and real estate business and now that the brothers have formed a partnership the best wishes of the community are extended for the continued success of their business.

Funeral Services For Walter C. Bellamy

Walter C. Bellamy, 59, of Cremona, died in the Didsbury hospital on Wednesday, November 30. Born in Drayton, Ont., he came to Cremona 41 years ago and had resided there since. He was a councillor for the old Beaver Dam Municipality for ten years until retiring five years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth, of Cremona; a daughter, Mrs. Roy Chapin, Rosedale; five sons, Walter, Norman, Delbert, and Harold, of Cremona, and Lloyd, Rosedale; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted from Knox United Church, Didsbury on Sunday, December 4, at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. G.G. Pybus of Carstairs officiating. Interment was made in the Didsbury cemetery with Didsbury Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

FISH DO TALK



Talking fish, deep-sea divers and underwater microphones are featured in the natural-color sound film, "Voice of the Deep," produced by Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. The film will be shown in the United Missionary Church, Didsbury, on Sunday, December 11, at 8:00 p.m.

United Church W. A.'s Take In \$300 at Bazaar and Tea

At 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 3, Rev. J.W. Bainbridge formally opened the Annual Bazaar and Tea sponsored by the Afternoon and Evening Groups of the Woman's Association of Knox United Church and when the event ended the ladies reported that more than \$300 was realized from the undertaking.

Mrs. Ruth Eckel, president of the Afternoon Group, greeted the guests.

It was most gratifying to the members of both groups who had worked throughout the year sewing, knitting, crocheting, making aprons and dressing dolls, to have such a large crowd present to make the sale such a grand success. The apron booth was most capably handled by Mrs. Ed Ranton and Mrs. E. Kercher, while Mrs. Fay Nicholl and Mrs. Lottie Roach sold the beautiful hand-made articles offered for sale by the Afternoon Group.

Mrs. Kay Parsons, Mrs. Margaret Gillrie and Mrs. Edna Wood were the sales ladies for the handiwork articles offered for sale by the Evening Group.

The home-cooking table was efficiently operated by Mesdames F. Leeson, B. Parker and P. Wardrop. Mrs. Mildred McCulloch, Mrs. Edith Wood and Mrs. Dorothy Preost were the ladies responsible for the beautifully arranged tea table, carrying out the Christmas motif.

Bancroft Institute Will Continue to Push for New Swimming Pool

The regular meeting of the Bancroft W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. F. Hoskin on November 17, with ten members and two visitors present. Roll Call was answered by the "Most Outstanding Woman of the Year."

Mrs. J. Tanton reported on the executive meeting held in Didsbury on October 22. Letters were also read in connection with the handiwork and food display.

It was decided to go ahead with plans for the building of a swimming pool at the Midway Community Centre.

Final arrangements were made for the purchase of a silver cup for the Bush League Baseball Club, The Grace Guild, Lone Pine W.I., Bancroft W.I. Girls' Club and Bancroft W.I. made donations towards this cup.

The sum of \$16.53 was contributed towards the stretcher for the Didsbury hospital. Donations are now being accepted by the W.I. for the "Appeal for Children Fund." A "scrap book of Alberta" will be made for distribution to other counties.

Plans were made to hold a whist drive and pie social at Bancroft school on Nov. 18.

Mrs. Hauser read a letter from a member of the corresponding W. I. in England, and Mrs. H. Swanson read an article on an outstanding woman in the United States, entitled "Angel of Happy Hollow."

Mrs. H. Pross won the raffle. "God Save the King" was sung to close the meeting, and Mrs. G. Hoskin served a delicious lunch.

Grants \$50 to Winter Campaign on Magpies

Ed Grange, chairman of the previous year's committee of the Didsbury Fish and Game Association, attended the regular meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49 on Monday and asked for a grant towards a winter campaign for the control of magpies. After some discussion the Council favored a grant of \$50 each to the Associations at Crossfield, Carstairs, Didsbury and Olds, and this sum will be augmented to fund her funds from the local Associations.

In view of the generosity of the municipality the Didsbury Fish and Game Association has decided to go ahead with plans for their winter campaign on magpies and starting January 1, 1950, will pay 20 cents per pair for magpie feet when turned in to Mr. Grange. All feet must be from birds killed during the winter, and old, dry feet are not acceptable.

This year no bounty payment will be made on hawks' or owls' feet.

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The Jr. C.G.I.T. reported \$13 realized from their table.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

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MELVIN NOTES

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shantz on the birth of a son, Donald Roy, on December 1. Mrs. Doug Johnston and wee daughter, Fay Lorraine, returned home from the hospital on Monday.

Next Wednesday, December 14, the Christmas meeting of Melvin W.I. will be held and members are reminded to bring Christmas draw articles, pictures and articles on Alberta, and, last but not least, that plate of home-made candy.

BERGEN NEWS NOTES

The Bergen Ladies' Aid met this month at the home of Mrs. Nell Tedford. The members decided to donate \$10 to the Bergen-Eldswold Christmas tree, and \$5 to the Red Deer Valley school. A decision was also made to double the donation to Malia Moe, a missionary who is over eight years of age and still at her post in the foreign field. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Tedford served a lovely lunch.

Future meetings of the Ladies' Aid will be held on the last Thursday of every month and the next meeting will be in January at the home of Mrs. Dave Davidson. An enjoyable skating party was held on the river just below the store on Friday evening. The party was sponsored by the sports committee of the Students' Union of Bergen and proceeds will be used to buy hockey equipment.

A meeting was held Saturday evening in the Bergen hall to discuss repairing the Bergen hall, organizing a calf club, staging a coyote hunt, and the rural telephone route.

Mr. S. Sande left this week on a trip to his native Norway. He will spend Christmas in the 'old country'. Mr. Norman Halverson is home on leave from Trenton, Ont. where he is stationed with the RCAF. Fred Tomassens purchased a new Austin light delivery, and Ross Ellis have a new light delivery truck.

It was the last day of the hunting season and about nine in the morning when Trygve Hauz left home to try his eleventh hour luck. He was home again at one o'clock in the afternoon having bagged a six point moose west of Sundre near coal camp.

WANTED—At Once, Laundress to take charge of laundry. Apply to the Matron, Didsbury Hospital, c

FOR SALE — Cook stove in fair shape. Also kitchen sink with stand. Apply at Pioneer Office.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Hall, 2305, 16th St. E., Calgary, Alta., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruby May, to Mr. Robert Joseph Fleming, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Fleming of 1421 Pembroke St., Victoria, B.C. The wedding will take place in Victoria on December 28, 1949.

WESTCOTT ITEMS

On Tuesday evening of last week a meeting was called to organize the activities of this district associated with the Westcott Skating rink. Mr. Chas. Topping occupied the chair and the financial report of last season was adopted as read. Discussion then took place as to the forming of a club and the taking in of such activities as hockey teams and ball team in summer.

Those elected to office were: president, Alfred Baudiste; vice-president, Clifford Murphy; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Herbert Goetz; Executive: Louis Hildebrandt, Otto Folkman, Chas. Topping and Delbert Killick.

Mr. Ken Folkman was again hired to be the caretaker of the rink, and the same schedule of rates as last year are in effect immediately.

Anyone desiring to have private skating parties is asked to get in touch with the secretary and make arrangements.

An opening is planned for the near future with free skating for old and young alike, so be on hand to enjoy an evening of fun with your friends and neighbors.

Westcott's school teacher, Mrs. Ethel Konechuh, is on the sick list and the pupils are enjoying another holiday.

This community was well represented at the funeral of Walter Bellamy who died last week. He and his family lived at Westcott about twenty years ago, and our sympathy is extended to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernal Reinhardt and Linda spent a day at Sundre last week on business.

A coyote hunt is being planned for this Saturday afternoon, starting from Alex Robertson's farm and continuing along the Dog Pound.

The Westcott Community Club held a card party and pie social at the school last Friday evening and it proved a profitable venture with receipts being \$124.75. Mr. Jack Robertson auctioned off the pies, and a special thanks is extended him and all who co-operated in making this a success. The Westcott W.I. thoroughly enjoyed the pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Alex Robertson last Thursday.

FOR SALE — Two-roomed House, with built-in cupboards and sink. 7 doors west of telephone office, on water and sewer line. Immediate possession. Apply to Mrs. R. Dannewald, Box 211, 49-3p

FOR SALE—Six Feeder Calves, 8 months old. Apply to R.E. Neubauer, 8 miles west, 4 miles north of Didsbury. 48-2p

FOR SALE—One Hereford Bull, 3 years old, from a registered herd. Apply to R.E. Dowell, phone 1611, Carstairs. 47-3p

FOR SALE—100 acres of land, six-roomed cottage, horse barn, cow barn, chicken and pig house. Also a good soft water well. South side of Didsbury, close to town. Immediate possession. Apply to Geo. French, Didsbury. 49-3p

LOST—From my truck Monday, Dec. 5, one 200-lb. Yorkshire Hog. Finder please notify Raymond Fischer. 48-1c

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FARM LANDS FOR SALE—If you are interested in purchasing farm lands, ranches, acreages or B.C. property you are invited to write for our new 62 page catalogue, free on request. We also have a catalogue covering business opportunities.—E. J. Rolfs & Co. Ltd., 5007 Gaetz Ave., Red Deer, Alberta, Phone 2651. 4c

CARD OF THANKS

St. Anthony's Alter Society wish to thank all who helped to make their tea and bazaar a success.

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The ladies of Mountain View Women's Institute would like to thank their friends and neighbors, the auctioneers, and everyone who helped to make the bazaar such a success. Also Mr. Fox for coming out with his motion picture machine and showed such good films.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Sunday services at the United Church will be held as follows: Didsbury, 11 a.m.—Church school for all ages, 7:45 p.m., C.G.I. Annual Vesper Service conducted by the leaders and their groups with a large choir rendering special Christmas music. Following the evening service a social hour will be held for the congregation.

Westcott, 11 a.m.—Morning Worship followed by Sunday School. Westerdale, 3 p.m.—Public Worship followed by Sunday school for all ages.

Minister: Rev. J.W. Bainbridge, M.A., B.D.

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FOR SALE—Saddle Horse, well broken, quiet, 7 years old. Apply to H. Wilschusen, Westcott. 49-2p

FOR SALE—3 two-year old Heifers, to freshen in February; ½ carload of B.C. Christmas Trees, to be here about Dec. 10, orders taken now; Furniture of all kinds: Canaries with or without cages; 2 Pinta Ponies, well broken. Anything you want, I have it (I hope).—Hughie Roberts, phone 13, Didsbury. 48-1c

FOR SALE—Two "A" Ford Wheels with ground grip tires and tubes. \$15 each.—Leo Nichols, phone 132, Didsbury. 48-3c

FOR SALE — Reconditioned Store Counter, about 12 feet long, \$10. Ladies' Curling Club, phone 131, Didsbury. 4c

FOR SALE—Moffat Electric two-burner hotplate with tray; Westinghouse Electric Deluxe Refrigerator; Hoover Sweeney, tank model; Electric Cornish Washing Machine; 2 Metal Tubs and stand; All metal Kitchen Table and chairs; Baby Buggy; Pair of Hip Waders.—Phone 108, Didsbury. 4p

FARM LOANS—for buying a farm, consolidating debts, or for purchasing livestock, etc.—McDonald Agencies, phone 160, Didsbury. 1c

MEMORIALS—Priced as low as \$32 with no extra charge for lettering and placing in cemetery.—J. A. Neufeld, phone 2110. 49-3p

FOR SALE—Large size Oil Burning air conditioning Furnace, complete with thermostat, humidifiers and fans. Electrically operated. Apply to H. Ferguson, 1115, 15th Ave. West, Calgary. 2p

FOR SALE — 1946 Hudson Sedan, complete with air condition and Radio. Quick sale at \$1500. Apply to Harold E. Oke, phone 10.

NOTICE—Our store will be open Saturday extra charge for Christmas. B.C. Christmas trees will be in this week in all sizes. Also trees from the west.—Hughie Roberts, phone 13, Didsbury.

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WEDDINGS**MILNE-DOWELL**

An attractive wedding was solemnized on November 23, 1949, at 2 p.m. in Knox United Church, Didsbury, when Evelyn Christina Dowell, only daughter of Mrs. Edna Dowell of Didsbury, was united in marriage to Mr. John Albert Milne, youngest son of Mrs. Mary Milne, and the late Mr. Milne, of Didsbury.

Rev. J.W. Bainbridge officiated at the nuptial rites before an altar of ferns and white chrysanthemums, at which the bride was given in marriage by Mr. W. H. Metz. The bride entered the church on the arm of Mr. W.H. Metz to the strains of "Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus," which was played by Miss Arlene Haste of Acme. While the register was being signed, Miss Haste sang "O Perfect Love," accompanied by Mr. Herbert Haste.

The bride chose for the occasion a floor-length gown of traditional white satin fashioned with a fitted bodice, featuring a silk lace yoke, and padded satin roses with pearl centres on front of bodice, and the long sleeves ending in lily points over her wrists had silk lace caps over shoulders. Her skirt featured an all round peplum edged with silk lace. Mists of illusion net veiling with silk embroidered border, cascaded to floor length from her coronet of seed pearls and crystals, and she carried a bouquet of deep red roses with white satin ribbon. Her only jewelry was a triple strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Mrs. Ray Milne, matron of honor, was gowned in a long blue taffeta dress, with three-quarter length blue silk veil, and headdress of blue flowers, and she carried a bouquet of deep rose-colored carnations and fern.

Miss Mildred Swanson was the bridesmaid, gowned in long pink sheer dress, with three-quarter length pink silk veil, and headdress of pink flowers. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and fern.

Mr. Roy Dowell, brother of the bride, acted as best man, and Mr. Roy Milne, brother of the groom, acted as groom's best man. Mr. Owen Milne and Mr. Donald Milne, brothers of the groom, ushered the guests to their places.

The groom and his attendants wore boutonnieres of white carnations.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Dowell chose a black crepe dress with velvet trimmings, a black velvet hat, and wore a corsage of yellow roses. The groom's mother chose a brown crepe dress, green hat, and also wore a corsage of yellow roses.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the church school room where the one hundred guests were received by the bridal couple and the bride's and groom's mothers. The bridal table was beautifully decorated with white cloth, with pink streamers and large white wedding bells overhead, and a three-tiered wedding cake beautifully decorated, centred the table.

Mr. W.H. Metz proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom fittingly responded. During the reception Miss Arlene Haste sang two very beautiful numbers, "At Dawning," and "Because," accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Haste, and the organ. Mrs. Marie Coates of Olds gave a reading and a recitation, very appropriate for the occasion.

Gifts to the bridal couple's attendants were gold brooches to the matron of honor and bridesmaid, and gift folds to the groomsmen. Boxed handkerchiefs were presented to the soloist and pianist.

For her going away ensemble the bride donned a ruby wine gabardine suit topped by a brown coat with red fox collar, with black accessories.

In the evening a wedding dance was held for the bridal couple at the Lone Pine Hall.

After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Milne will return to spend the winter at the W.H. Metz home until they get settled on their farm east of Didsbury.

Out of town guests at the wedding came from Turner Valley, Calgary, Wardlaw, Tees, Olds, Car-

stairs, Three Hills, Acme and Sunnyslope.

WRIGGLESWORTH-NOVACLUSE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Gillrie of Didsbury on Saturday, November 19, at 2 p.m., when Miss Joyce Novacuse, second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Novacuse of Didsbury, became the bride of La Verne Wrigglesworth, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Wrigglesworth of Calgary and formerly of Didsbury.

Rev. A.J. Grams performed the ceremony under a pink and white arch decorated with roses.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a long white gown of satin, trimmed with lace, and her long white veil was held in place by orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. J. McArthur, wore a long pink dress of sheer and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

The groom was supported by Mr. Syd Hall.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Novacuse chose a black sheer dress and wore a corsage of roses. Mrs. Wrigglesworth, mother of the groom, wore a dress of navy with white peplum, and her corsage was of roses.

During the signing of the register Mrs. Kenton Gillrie sang "I'll Walk Beside You," and Mrs. Harvey Gillrie played the music.

After having wedding pictures taken at Olds a reception for about 50 guests was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Gillrie. The bride's table was decorated with flowers, and pink and white streamers and large white bells hung over the table which was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake. Assisting with the serving besides the ladies of the district were Miss Muriel Collinge and Miss Winnie Miller. The hostess, Mrs. R. Gillrie, wore a wine dress and her bouquet was of roses. The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. R.E. Gillrie, and the groom responded.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrigglesworth left on a honeymoon at Calgary and Banff and on their return will reside on the groom's farm north of Didsbury.

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-:DISTRICT NEWS:-**NOTES FROM THE EAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Baptiste returned from their trip to Cranbrook and report a good time, and they found Mrs. Thompson's brother very much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott and Joy motored to Calgary Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Shells and family were business visitors to Calgary on Tuesday.

Leslie Schumaker spent the week end with his folks.

Jean Elliott has been home from school with a bad cold.

Joyce Schumaker also has been suffering from a cold and has had to remain away from school.

Mrs. Agnes Patterson, Edward Patterson and Dick Metz were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Metz of Sundre.

Miss Mildred Swanson was a Calgary visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Milne, Ronald Milne, and Edward Patterson were Sunday evening visitors at the Fred Metz home.

Mr. Fred Metz was a Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stumpf and family of the Poplar Creek district.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Milne, Mr. Jack Owens and Ernest Smith were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Mary Milne.

Miss Mildred Swanson, Mrs. Edna Dowell and Fred Metz spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson and family.

CREMONA ITEMS

A large crowd attended the Turkey shoot held in Cremona on Wednesday, November 30.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McLennan and Peter moved to Vancouver, B. C., last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. Cameron and family are now occupying the former McLennan home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rothwell of Didsbury were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Waterstreet on November 30.

Miss Grace Brown who is employed in Kelowna, B.C., is spending a holiday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Eby and family were supper guests on Saturday, December 3, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Camps were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rigby.

Among those attending a chicken supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Camps on Thursday, December 1st, were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Camps, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Camps, Ernie and Danny; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Rigby and Billy; and Alma and Bruce Bouck.

A number of people from this district are in hospital and best wishes go out to them all, including Mr. B. Reid, Mr. M. Hickey, Warren Reid and Mrs. Bouck St. Don't forget the benefit dance to be held in the Big Prairie school on Friday, December 9, in aid of Mrs. Violet Spafford who was recently injured in a tractor accident.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon of Water Valley were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas.

MOUNTAIN VIEW NOTES

Don't forget the dance on Dec. 9 at Mountain View Community hall. Come and bring your friends and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stull of Carstairs were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ed McNeil on Sunday.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Garner Tighe and Kenneth were Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKay of Acme.

Stewart Tighe, Agnes Tighe, Lily Morasch and Marie Pollock of Olds were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Leith and Elaine of Arrowwood.

Mrs. M. K. Stiles attended the Farm Women's Union of Alberta convention in Calgary on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dawson were supper guests with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bruce, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shultz and family were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Elliott had as their weekend visitors Jack Elliott, Barney's brother, from the O.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter were Calgary visitors on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Worrall visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Booker.

The Mount in View Bible College Chorus under the direction of Prof. L. Richardson, will present a program of Christmas music in the Mountain View Community Hall on December 18, at 8 p.m.

MT. VIEW BIBLE COLLEGE OFFERS EVENING CLASSES

The faculty of Mountain View Bible College takes pleasure in offering courses of study to anyone in the Didsbury district who would be interested in availing himself or herself of the further study of the Bible and related subjects during the winter months.

Registration for these evening courses will take place on Monday evening, December 19, at 7 o'clock. The classes will convene each Monday evening from Dec. 19, 1949, to February 20, 1950, except on Dec. 26. The first period of the evening begins at 7:30 and closes at 8:20. The second class will begin at 8:20 and close at 9:10.

The following courses will be offered: Music, Conducting and Hymnology, Old Testament, Genesis and the Prophecy of Daniel, New Testament, The Gospel by John, The Epistle to the Romans and the General Epistles. Also courses in Teacher Training and the Psychology of Personality. The student may select any two of the courses offered and a nominal registration fee will be the only charge made.

Further particulars on these special courses can be obtained by making application to the Mountain View Bible College, Didsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reid spent a few days visiting in Calgary with friends last week.

WEDDINGS

HOLUB-NICOL

Yellow and white chrysanthemums decorated the altar of Knox United Church, Calgary, when Christina, younger daughter of Mr. Allen Nicol of Drumheller, became the bride of Mr. John Holub, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Holub of Ogden. Rev. Preston MacLeod officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a light blue gabled suit with navy and white accessories and a corsage of sweet heart roses. Her only jewelry was

a double strand of pearls, the gift of the groom. For something old the bride wore a blouse with insertions of hand woven French lace which was brought over from France in 1915 by Mr. J. Somers.

The bridesmaid, Miss Helen Byrt of Salmon Arm, B.C., wore a wine gabardine suit with yellow and grey accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Mr. Roy Reiffenstein was best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Club Cafe where Mr. James Somers of Drumheller proposed the toast to the bride.

Following a wedding trip to the mountains and Southern Alberta Mr. and Mrs. Holub have taken up residence in Didsbury.

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LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

The regular meeting of the Mons Chapter of the I.O.G.E. will be held December 8, at 8:30 p.m. in the Lions Hall. The Christmas party will begin at 9:30 p.m., at which time the guests will arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Roberts were Calgary visitors over the week end at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carr.

Don't forget the meeting of the Didsbury West Beef Calf Club at the Jim Hughes farm on Saturday, December 10, at 2 p.m.

Due to a change in business Post & Fox, Didsbury, are clearing out most lines of stock in trade and in this issue of The Pioneer, an advertisement announces the special prices in effect for the next ten days.

It is rumored that Henry Lepp and Harry Janzen have sold their homes and are moving to Saskatchewan.

Mr. J. B. Schmidt of Abbotsford, B.C., and formerly of Didsbury, passed away last Wednesday and was buried Friday. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

The Ladies' Sports Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Garner on Thursday night, when Shirley Sharpe will be the hostess.

An egg with three yolks was laid by a white Leghorn hen on the farm of Arden Deardrick. The egg was no larger than those in which two yolks are sometimes found.

Clovermount school is holding at amateur night at Clovermount on December 15, at 8 p.m. Prizes for the three best performances to the amounts of \$5, \$3, and \$1 respectively, will be given. Those wishing to enter please phone 212 in the evenings. Proceeds for Red Cross and Clovermount school funds.

Miss Doreen Dick returned Monday to Calgary after spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dick.

A four-page Christmas flier is in the mails for four local stores. Builders' Hardware, Law's Drug Store, J.V. Berscht & Sons and Soley's Food Market. These business firms are advertising goods and special prices from now till Christmas.

Don't forget the dance at Mountain View Hall on December 9th. Krebs' Orchestra, Come and have a good time. 48-2c

E.T. Wiggins, vice president of the Canadian Teachers' Association, left Didsbury by plane Friday evening for Ottawa, where he attended a board meeting. He returned Tuesday morning in time for opening of school.

Born at the Didsbury hospital to Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Shantz on Thursday, December 1, a boy.

The regular monthly meeting of the Afternoon Group of Knox United Church W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Ruth Eckel on Friday, December 9, at 2:45 p.m. There will be a pot luck lunch and small Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. "Sandy" Foote of Lacombe spent the weekend visiting with friends in town.

Bob McLean of Bassano was a Didsbury visitor on Thursday.

Miss Ruth Trean, Toronto, Educational Director of the Underwood Typewriter company, gave a lecture and demonstration of typing at the local school on Friday morning.

There will be a dance at the tugsby hall on December 9 with Martin Bros. orchestra. 47-2c

Mrs. Bertha Breehwal and Mrs. Ruth Eckel spent a couple of days last week visiting with friends in Dids.

Miss Etha Davis has accepted the position as secretary-technician at the Rosebud Health Unit.

Arnold Bode and Johnny Folkman returned Wednesday from a big game hunt up Yarrow Creek on the Big Red. They were unfortunate in not getting any game but report plenty of cow moose and deer, as well as having a wonderful trip.

I will again have Christmas trees on sale at Jenkins' Groceteria. Trees for everyone—Tom Lemon.

The annual meeting of Rugby F.C.A. Local 1028 will be held at the home of Les Evans on December 14. Members are requested to be present and visitors are welcome. A report will be given by Mr. L. Chandler on the convention held in Calgary from December 5 to 9.

The College Choir of Mountain View Bible College journeyed to Sundre on Sunday afternoon for the Youth For Christ Rally. They reported a good meeting and a packed church. They sang again at the Rally held at the Didsbury Evangelical Church in the evening when Rev. Gertzinger was the speaker.

Local stores are carrying wonderful full stocks of Christmas goods this year. Check over these goods and compare quality with price before doing your shopping elsewhere.

A number of items were held over till next week due to late arrival of copy and lack of space. Readers are reminded that we are very grateful for news items sent in, but copy should not be held till the deadline of our paper at noon on Tuesday. All copy arriving in this office on Saturday or Monday will be published in the current issue, but lengthy articles arriving Tuesday must be held over because most of the country news arrives on this day and space is always reserved for the budgets of news from our district correspondents.

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